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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of  
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 For: Portable Speed Bump

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- Two original executed, Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application.
- Two original executed Assignment with Cover Sheet.
- An original executed Verified Statement to Establish Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27
- An Information Disclosure Statement.
- Form PTO 1449 (with 13 references).

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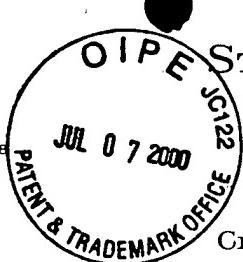
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